

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Patent Application of:
Samuel Neto et al.

Application No.: 10/573,480

Confirmation No.: 2574

Filed: July 26, 2006

Art Unit: 4181

For: METHOD FOR THE PRODUCTION OF A
CATALYST FOR GAS-PHASE OXIDATIONS
BY THE COATING OF SUPPORT
MATERIALS IN A FLUID BED APPARATUS

Examiner: B. S. Saha

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated October 31, 2008, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 6 of this paper.

Enclosures include a Petition for a three-month Extension of Time.